

**CERTIFICATE OF ELECTRONIC FILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed electronically with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the below date:

Date: December 6, 2007 Name: Michael E. Milz, Reg. No. 34,880 Signature: 

Our Case No. 10000/227  
Client Reference No. PA-5416-CIP

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

David Hardin et al.

Serial No.: 10/731,500

Filing Date: December 9, 2003

For: CYTOLOGY COLLECTION DEVICE

)  
)  
)  
) Examiner: H. Nguyen

)  
) Group Art Unit No.: 3736  
)  
)  
)

**AMENDMENT TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated July 6, 2007, please reconsider the rejection in view of the amendments and remarks presented herein. Please amend the application as follows: